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# BILL

TO

## Amend the Law of Registration in Ireland.

WHEREAS it is expedient to make special Provision for the Completion of the Registration of Parliamentary Electors during the present Year, and to amend the Law relating to the Registration of Parliamentary Electors in Ireland; and also to facilitate the Establishment of additional Polling Places for taking the Poll at contested Elections for Counties in Ireland: Preamble.

Be it enacted by the Queen's most Excellent Majesty, by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal, and Commons, in this present Parliament assembled, and by the Authority of the same, as follows:

*Preliminary.*

1. "Principal Act" in this Act means the Act passed in the Session of the Thirteenth and Fourteenth Years of the Reign of Her present Majesty, Chapter Sixty-nine, intituled "An Act to "amend the Laws which regulate the Qualification and Registra- "tion of Parliamentary Voters in Ireland, and to alter the Law for "rating immediate Lessors of Premises to the Poor Rate in certain Definition of "Principal Act."



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"Boroughs," as amended by "The Representation of the People (Ireland) Act, 1868."

Application of Act.

**2.** This Act shall apply to Ireland only.

Short Title.

**3.** This Act may be cited for all Purposes as the "Registration Amendment (Ireland) Act, 1868."

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## Part I.

### Registration of Parliamentary Voters in 1868.

*In Counties.*

Precepts and Lists to be printed, and Clerk of Peace to send his Precept to Clerks of Unions, together with Copies of Forms.

13 & 14 Vict. c. 69. s. 16.

**4.** For the Purpose of forming a Register in the Year One thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight of all Persons entitled to vote in the Election of a Knight or Knights of the Shire to serve in Parliament for the several Counties in Ireland in respect of the Franchises conferred by "The Representation of the People (Ireland) Act, 1868," the Clerk of the Peace for every County shall cause a sufficient Number of Forms of Precepts, Notices, and Lists to be printed as required, according to the respective Forms (numbered 1, 2, 4,) in the Schedule (A.) and of the Table in the Schedule (C.) to this Act annexed, and shall also, on or before *the Fourth Day of August in the Year One thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight*, make and cause to be delivered to the Clerk of every Poor Law Union situate wholly or in part within his County, his Precept, according to the Form (numbered 1.) in the said Schedule (A.), and One or more of the Forms (numbered 2.) in the said Schedule.

Clerks of Union to make out and transmit Lists.

13 & 14 Vict. c. 69. s. 20.

**5.** The Clerk of each Poor Law Union wholly or in part within the Limits of any County in Ireland shall, on or before *the Eighth Day of August in the Year One thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight*, make out and transmit to the Clerk of the Peace of each County into which any Part of such Union extends a List or Return for each Barony or Division of a Barony of such County situate within such Union of every Male Person of full Age who shall be rated in the last Rate made under the Acts for the more effectual Relief of the destitute Poor in Ireland, jointly with any other Person or Persons as the Occupier of any Lands, Tenements, or Hereditaments situate in such Barony or Division of a Barony, and within such Union, of a net annual Value of such an Amount as when divided by the Number of Occupiers would give to each such Occupier a net annual Value of Twelve Pounds or upwards, and also a List or Return of every Male Person of full Age who shall have been rated in the said Rate as the Occupier of Lands,

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Lands, Tenements, or Hereditaments of a net annual Value of Twelve Pounds or upwards where the Premises in respect of which he shall have been so rated shall not have been the the same Premises but different Premises occupied in immediate
5 Succession, excluding nevertheless from such Return every Occupier who shall not, on or before *the First Day of July in the Year One thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight*, have paid all Poor Rates (if any) which shall have become payable by him in respect of such Premises previously to *the First Day of January*
10 then last, and such Return shall be in the Form and shall contain the Particulars mentioned in the Form (numbered 2.) in the Schedule (A.) to this Act annexed; and each such Clerk of a Union, after due Inquiry, which he is required to make, with the Assistance of the respective Collector or Collectors of Poor Rates
15 for such respective Barony or Division of a Barony (and which Assistance such Collector or Collectors is and are hereby required to give for such Purpose), shall and is hereby required to add by a Stamp or in Writing in the Margin of such Return the Word "objected" to the Name of any Person inserted in such Return, in
20 case such Clerk of the Union shall have reasonable Cause to believe such Person not to be or to have ceased to be an Occupier as aforesaid of the Lands, Tenements, or Hereditaments in respect of which he shall have been so rated, or not to have been such Occupier as aforesaid during the whole Period of Twelve Calendar
25 Months next previous to the *Twentieth Day of July in the Year One thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight;* and such Clerk of the Union shall also in like Manner add the Word "objected" or "dead" before the Name of any Person in such Return, if such Clerk of the Union shall have reasonable Cause to believe that such Person is not
30 entitled to have his Name on the Register of Voters then next to be made for such County, or is dead, as the Case may be; and such Return shall be signed by such respective Clerk of the Union, and shall be verified by him as true and correct, according to the best of his Belief, by an Oath or Declaration to be made or taken by him before
35 some Justice of the Peace in and for the said County within which such Lands are situate, or the County in which the Union Workhouse is situate, and which Oath or Declaration any such Justice is hereby authorized and required to administer or take.

Clerk of the Peace in Year 1868 to publish Special List, and to make Objections. 13 & 14 Vict. c. 69. s. 21.

**6.** The Clerk of the Peace of every County in Ireland shall, on
40 or before the *Seventeenth Day of August in the Year One thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight* frame a Special List of rated Occupiers for every Barony of such County, according to the Form (numbered 3.) in the said Schedule (A.) to this Act annexed, of every such Male Person of full Age as shall appear on the Return



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Return or the Returns as aforesaid transmitted to him by the Clerk of the Union, or (in case of a Barony being situate in more than One Union) by the Clerks of such Unions, together with the marginal Objections added by the Clerk of the Union to the Names of any Persons included in such Special List; and such Clerk of the Peace shall also add, by a Stamp or in Writing, the Word "objected" or "dead" in the Margin of the said List, if such Clerk of the Peace shall, after due Inquiry, (which he is hereby required to make by himself or a sufficient Deputy, and having regard also to and inserting any Objections to the Name of any such Person entered in the said Clerk of the Union's Return,) have reasonable Cause to believe that such Person is not entitled to have his Name on the Register next to be made, or is dead, as the Case may be; and the Clerk of the Peace shall cause a sufficient Number of Copies of such List, with all such marginal Additions as aforesaid, to be written or printed, and shall, on or before the said *Seventeenth Day of August*, sign and publish the same in such respective Barony, and shall likewise keep at some Police Station or other House within such respective Barony (giving due Notice of such Police Station or House at the Time last aforesaid) a Copy of such List, with all the marginal Additions as aforesaid, signed by him, to be perused by any Person, without Payment of any Fee, at any Time between the Hours of Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon and Four of the Clock in the Afternoon of any Day, except Sundays, during the first Four Days after the same shall have been published, and shall deliver written or printed Copies of such List, signed by him, to all Persons applying for the same, on Payment of a Price for each Copy after the Rate mentioned in the said Schedule (C.) to this Act annexed.

Clerks of Peace to give Notice requiring Voters to claim.

13 & 14 Vict. c. 69. s. 22.

**7.** The Clerk of the Peace of every County in Ireland shall, on or before the *Seventeenth Day of August in the Year One thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight*, publish a Notice in each Barony according to the Form (numbered 4) in the said Schedule (A.), having first signed the same, requiring all Persons entitled to be inserted in the Register and vote in the Election of a Knight or Knights of the Shire to serve in Parliament in respect of the Franchises conferred by "The Representation of the People (Ireland) Act, 1868," who shall not be upon the said Special List for such Barony of Voters under this Act, and who are respectively desirous to have their Names inserted in the Register about to be made under this Act, to deliver or send to him at his Office, on or *before the Twentieth Day of August in the Year One thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight*, a Notice in Writing, by them signed, of their Claim to vote as aforesaid.

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Clerks of Peace to prepare Lists of Claimants, make Objections, &c. 13 & 14 Vict. c. 69. s. 23.

**8.** The Clerk of the Peace of every County in Ireland shall on or *before the Twenty-fourth Day of August in the Year One thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight*, make out, according to the Form (numbered 6.) in the said Schedule (A.), a Special List in alphabetical Order for each Barony of all Persons who on or before the *Twentieth Day of August* in the said Year shall have claimed as aforesaid for such Barony; and in every such List the Christian Name and Surname of every such Claimant, with the Place of his Abode, the Nature of his Qualification, and the local or other Description of the Property, shall be written as the same are stated in the Claim; and the said Clerk of the Peace, if he shall have reasonable Cause to believe that any Person whose Name shall appear in such List of Claimants is not entitled to have his Name upon the Register for such Barony then next to be made, shall add, by a Stamp or in Writing, the Word "objected" before the Name of every such Person on the Margin of such List of Claimants; and the Clerk of the Peace shall cause a sufficient Number of Copies of such List of Claimants in each Barony, with all such marginal Additions as aforesaid, to be written or printed, and shall sign and publish the same in such Barony to which the same relates, and shall likewise keep at some Police Station or other House within such respective Barony (giving due Notice of such Police Station or House at the respective Times last aforesaid) a Copy of such List of Claimants, with the marginal Additions as aforesaid, signed by him, to be perused by any Person, without Payment of any Fee, at any Time between the Hours of Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon and Four of the Clock in the Afternoon of any Day, except Sunday, during the first Four Days after the same shall have been published, and shall deliver written or printed Copies thereof, signed by him, to all Persons applying for the same, on Payment of a Price for each Copy after the Rate mentioned in the said Schedule (C.) to this Act annexed.

Persons empowered to object. 13 & 14 Vict. c. 69. s. 26.

Notice of Objection.

**9.** Every Person whose Name shall have been inserted in any List of Voters for the Time being for any such County, or on such Special Lists, may object to any other Person upon any Special List of Voters or Special List of Claimants for such County under this Act, as not having been entitled, under the Provisions of this Act, to have his Name inserted in such Special List of Voters or Claimants for such County, under this Act; and every Person so objecting (save and except Clerks of the Peace and Clerks of the Union objecting in the Manner herein-before mentioned) shall, on or before the *Twenty-eighth Day of August in the Year One thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight*, give or cause to be given to the Clerk of the Peace of the County a Notice, according to the Form (numbered 7.) in the said Schedule (A.), or to the like Effect; and the Person so objecting



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objecting shall, on or before the said *Twenty-eighth Day of August*, give or cause to be given to the Person so objected to, or leave or cause to be left at his Place of Abode as described in such List, a Notice according to the Form (numbered 8.) in the said Schedule (A.), or to the like Effect; and every such Notice of Objection shall be signed by the Party so objecting as aforesaid. 5

Clerk of the Peace to make out and publish a List of Persons objected to. 13 & 14 Vict. c. 69. s. 27.

**10.** The Clerk of the Peace shall include the Names of all Persons against whom Notice of Objection shall have been so given to him as aforesaid in a Special List for each Barony, according to the Form (numbered 9.) in the said Schedule (A.), and shall publish such List in such Barony on or before the *Thirty-first Day of August in the Year One thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight*, and shall also keep at some Police Station or other House in such respective Barony (giving due Notice of such Police Station or House at the Time of Publication last aforesaid) a Copy of such List, to be perused by any Person, without Payment of any Fee, at any Time between the Hours of Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon and Four of the Clock in the Afternoon of any Day, except Sunday, during the first Four Days after such List shall have been so published, and shall deliver a Copy of such List to any Person requiring the same, on Payment of a Price for each Copy after the Rate mentioned in the Schedule (C.) to this Act annexed: Provided also, that the Clerk of the Peace shall in due Time for the Purposes aforesaid cause to be printed or provided a sufficient Number of Notices of Claim according to the Form (No. 5.) and of the Notices of Objection according to the Forms (No. 7. and 8.) in the said Schedule (A.) or to the like Effect, and shall give a Copy thereof, without Cost or Charge, to any Person applying for the same in order to make a Claim or Objection. 10 15 20 25

*In Cities, Towns, and Boroughs.* 30

Precept, Forms, and printed Lists to be delivered by the Clerk of the Peace to Town Clerk. 13 & 14 Vict. c. 69. s. 29.

**11.** For the Purpose of forming a Register in the Year One thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight of all Persons entitled under the Provisions of "The Representation of the People (Ireland) Act, 1868" to vote in the Election of a Member or Members to serve in Parliament for the several Cities, Towns, and Boroughs in Ireland, in respect of the Occupation of any Lands, Tenements, or Hereditaments situate within such City, Town, or Borough of a net annual Value of less than Eight Pounds and more than Four Pounds, or in respect of the Occupation of Lodgings, the Clerk of the Peace of or acting in or for every such City, Town, or Borough shall cause a sufficient Number of Forms of Notices and Lists to be printed, according to the respective Forms (numbered 35 40

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bered 2, 6, 7, 8, 9, and 10) in the Schedule (B.) and of the Table in the said Schedule (C.) to this Act annexed, and shall also, on or before the *Fourth Day of August in the Year One thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight*, make and cause to be delivered to the Town Clerk of every such City, Town, or Borough his Precept in Writing, according to the Form (numbered 1) in the said Schedule (B.), and also a sufficient Number of the said printed Forms of Notices and Lists and of the said Table.

Town Clerks empowered to inspect Rate Books, and obtain List of Defaulters. 13 & 14 Vict. c. 69. s. 31.

**12.** The Town Clerk of every such City, Town, or Borough, for his Assistance in making out the List of Voters as herein-after mentioned (upon Request made by him at any Time between the Hours of Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon and Four of the Clock the Afternoon of any Day, except Sunday, between the *Fourth Day of August and the Twentieth Day of August in the Year One thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight*, to any Collector of Poor Rates, or to any other Officer having the Custody of any Book relating to the same shall have free Liberty to inspect the same, and to extract such Particulars as may appear to such Town Clerk to be necessary; and every Collector of Poor Rates of Premises within such City, Town, or Borough, or Officer having the Custody of the Rate Books relating to the same, shall (if required by the Town Clerk) within *Four Days after the Fourth Day of August* in the Year One thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight, make out and deliver to the said Town Clerk a List containing the Name and Place of Abode of every Person who shall not have paid on or before the *First Day of July in the Year One thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight* all such Rates within the Collection of such Collector as aforesaid which shall have become payable by him (if any) in respect of the Occupation of any Lands, Tenements, or Hereditaments in such City, Town, or Borough, describing such Premises, previously to the *First Day of January* in the said Year; and the Town Clerk shall keep the said List, to be perused by any Person, without Payment of any Fee, at any Time between the Hours of Ten of the Clock of the Forenoon and Four of the Clock in the Afternoon of any Day, except Sunday, during the first Four Days after the List of Voters shall have been published as herein-after mentioned.

Poor Rate Collector to deliver to Town Clerk List of Defaulters, if required.

Town Clerk to keep List, to be open to Inspection, without Fee.

Clerks of Unions to transmit to Town Clerk Lists of Persons rated as Occupiers of Premises of an annual

**13.** The Clerk of every Poor Law Union comprising the whole or any Part of any City, Town, or Borough in Ireland returning a Member or Members to serve in Parliament shall, on or before the *Eighth Day of August in the Year One thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight*, make out and transmit to the Town Clerk of each such City, Town, or Borough a Special List of every Male Person of full



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Value less than 8*l.* and more than 4*l.*
13 & 14 Vict. c. 69. s. 32.

full Age who shall be rated, or whose Name shall appear in the last Rate made under the Acts for the more effectual Relief of the destitute Poor in Ireland as the Occupier of any Lands, Tenements, or Hereditaments situate within such City, Town, or Borough, of a net annual Value of less than Eight Pounds and more than Four Pounds, and of every such Person as last aforesaid who shall be rated in the last Rate made under the said Acts jointly with any other Person or Persons as the Occupier of any such Lands, Tenements, or Hereditaments, situated as aforesaid, of a net annual Value of such an Amount as when divided by the Number of Occupiers would give to each such Occupier a net annual Value of more than Four Pounds and less than Eight Pounds, excluding nevertheless from such List every such Occupier and every such joint Occupier in any such City, Town, or Borough, who shall not on or before the *First Day of July in the Year One thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight* have paid all Poor Rates (if any) which shall have become payable by him in respect of such Premises previously to the First Day of January then last; and such Lists shall be in the Form and shall contain the Particulars mentioned in Form (numbered 2.) in the Schedule (B.) to this Act annexed; and such Lists shall be signed by such respective Clerk of the Union, and shall be verified by him as true and correct according to the best of his Belief, by an Oath or Declaration to be taken or made by him before some Justice of the Peace acting in and for the said City, Town, or Borough, or the County in which the Union Workhouse is situate, and which Oath or Declaration any such Justice is hereby authorized and required to administer or take.

Town Clerk to make out Lists of Persons entitled to vote.
13 & 14 Vict. c. 69. s. 33.

**14.** The Town Clerk of every such City, Town, or Borough shall, on or before the *Seventeenth Day of August in the Year One thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight*, make out or cause to be made out a Special List in alphabetical Order according to the Form (numbered 3) in the Schedule (B.) to this Act annexed of all Male Persons of full Age whose Names shall appear on any Special Lists transmitted to him by Clerks of any Union under the Provisions of this Act as the rated Occupier, or One of several such rated joint Occupiers, of Lands, Tenements, or Hereditaments situate within such City, Town, or Borough of the net annual Value of less than Eight Pounds and more than Four Pounds, and (in the Case of joint Occupiers) of the net annual Value of more than Four Pounds and less than Eight Pounds, for each of such joint Occupiers as aforesaid: Provided always, that such Town Clerk shall omit from the said List all such Persons as shall not have paid on or before the *First Day of July in the Year*

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*Year One thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight* all Poor Rates payable by them severally, if any, in respect of such Lands, Tenements, or Hereditaments, previously to the *First Day of January in the said Year*, and shall add, by a Stamp or in Writing, the Word "objected" to the Name of any Person inserted in such List in case such Town Clerk shall have reasonable Cause to believe such Person not to be or to have ceased to be Occupier or joint Occupier as aforesaid of the Premises in respect of which he shall have been rated, or not to have been such Occupier or joint Occupier for the Space of Twelve Calendar Months next previous to the said last-mentioned Day in the said Year, and such Town Clerk shall also in like Manner add the Word "objected" or "dead" before the Name of any Person inserted in such List in case such Town Clerk shall have reasonable Cause to believe that such Person is not entitled to have his Name on the Register of Voters to be made for such City, Town, or Borough, or is dead, as the Case may be; and in the said List the Christian Name and Surname of every such Person shall be written at full Length, together with the Name of the Street, Lane, and the Number of the House (if any), or other Description of the Place, where the Lands, Tenements, or Hereditaments of which he is the Occupier or joint Occupier may be situate; and the said Town Clerk shall sign such List, and shall forthwith cause a sufficient Number of Copies of the same, with all such marginal Additions, to be written or printed, and shall publish Copies of the said Lists on or *before the Nineteenth Day of August in the Year One thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight*, and shall likewise keep a Copy of each of the said Lists, to be perused by any Person, without Payment of any Fee, at any Time between the Hours of Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon and Four of the Clock in the Afternoon of any Day, except Sunday, during the first Four Days after such Lists shall have been so published, and shall deliver Copies thereof to all Persons applying for the same, on Payment of a Price for each Copy after the Rate mentioned in the Schedule (C.) to this Act annexed.

Lists when signed to be published and sold.

**15.** Every Person whose Name shall have been omitted in any such Special List of Voters for any such City, Town, or Borough so to be made out as aforesaid, and who shall claim as having been entitled to have his Name inserted therein under the Provisions of this Act, and who shall on or before the *Twenty-second Day of August in the Year One thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight* give or cause to be given to the Town Clerk of such City, Town, or Borough a Notice according to the Form (numbered 6.) in the said Schedule (B.), or to the like Effect, and the Town Clerk shall include the Names of all Persons so claiming as aforesaid in a Special List according to the Form (numbered 4.) in the said Schedule (B.); and

Persons omitted from Lists of Voters may claim, and Lists of Claimants to be made and published, and sold.

13 & 14 Vict. c. 69. s. 34.



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and in every such List the Christian Name and Surname of every Claimant, with the Place of his Abode, the Nature of his Qualification, and the local or other Description of the Property, shall be inserted as the same are stated in the Claim; and the said Town Clerk, if he shall have reasonable Cause to believe that any Person whose Name shall appear in such List of Claimants is not entitled to have his Name upon the Register then next to be made, shall add as aforesaid the Word "objected" before the Name of every such Person on the Margin of such List of Claimants; and the Town Clerk shall cause a sufficient Number of Copies of such Lists of Claimants, with all such marginal Additions as aforesaid, to be written or printed, and shall on or before the *Twenty-fifth Day of August in the Year One thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight* sign and publish the same, and shall likewise keep Copies of such Lists of Claimants, with the marginal Additions as aforesaid, signed by him, to be perused by any Person, without Payment of any Fee, at any Time between the Hours of Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon and Four of the Clock in the Afternoon of any Day, except Sunday, during the First Four Days after the same shall have been published, and shall deliver written or printed Copies thereof, signed by him, to all Persons applying for the same, on Payment of a Price for each Copy after the Rate mentioned in the said Schedule (C.) to this Act annexed.

Extension of Time for Claims by Lodgers and Publication.

**16.** The Times limited by Section Five of the Representation of the People (Ireland) Act, 1868, for sending in Claims by Lodgers, and for the Publication of the Particulars of such Claims, shall in the Year One thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight be respectively extended to the Twenty-second Day of August and Twenty-fifth Day of August, instead of the Days in said Section respectively mentioned.

Registered Voters and Claimants may inspect Rate Books. 13 & 14 Vict. c. 69. s. 35.

**17.** It shall be lawful for any Person whose Name shall have been inserted in any List of Voters or who shall have claimed to have his Name inserted in any List under the Provisions of this Act, upon Request made by any such Person, at any Time between the Hours of Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon and Four of the Clock in the Afternoon of any Day, except Sunday, between *the Nineteenth Day of August and the First Day of September in the Year One thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight*, to any Collector of Poor Rate or other Officer having the Custody of any Book relating to the same, to inspect the same, and make Extracts therefrom, for any Purpose relating to any Claim or Objection made or intended to be made by or against such Person; and every such Collector or other Officer as aforesaid is hereby required, upon such Request as aforesaid, to permit such Inspection and the making such Extracts, without Payment of any Fee.

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**18.** Every Person whose Name shall have been inserted in any List of Voters for any such City, Town, or Borough may object to any Person as not having been entitled to have his Name inserted in any Special List of Voters or Special List of Claimants for the same City, Town, or Borough, under this Act; and every Person so objecting (save and except Town Clerks objecting in the Manner herein-before mentioned) shall on or before the *First Day of September in the Year One thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight* give or cause to be given a Notice according to the Form (numbered 7.) in the said Schedule (B.), or to the like Effect, to the Town Clerk of such City, Town, or Borough; and every Person so objecting shall also, on or before *the said First Day of September in the Year One thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight*, give or cause to be left at the Place of Abode of the Person objected to, as stated in the said List, a Notice according to the Form (numbered 8.) in the said Schedule (B.); and every Notice of Objection shall be signed by the Person objecting.

Who may object.

13 & 14 Vict. c. 69. s. 36.

Notice of Objection shall be given.

**19.** The said Town Clerk shall include the Names of all Persons so objected to in a Special List according to the Form (numbered 5) in the said Schedule (B.), and shall sign the said List, and cause Copies thereof to be written or printed, and shall publish the said List of Persons objected to as aforesaid on or *before the Fourth Day of September in the Year One thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight*, and shall keep Copies of the said List, and shall allow the same, and also the Notices of Objection which they shall have received, to be perused by any Person, without Payment of any Fee, at any Time between the Hours of Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon and Four of the Clock in the Afternoon of any Day, except Sunday, during the first Four Days after such Lists shall have been published, and shall deliver Copies of each of such Lists to any Person requiring the same, on Payment of a Price for each Copy after the Rate mentioned in the Schedule (C.) to this Act annexed.

Lists of Persons objected to shall be made and published and sold.

13 & 14 Vict. c. 69. s. 37.

**20.** The said Town Clerk shall, on *or before the Fifth Day of September in the Year One thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight*, deliver to the Clerk of the Peace of or acting in or for such City, Town, or Borough Copies of the said Special List of Voters, made out by him as aforesaid, with the marginal Additions as aforesaid, and a Copy of the said Special List of Persons who shall have claimed as aforesaid, and a Copy of the said Special List of Persons objected to as aforesaid, respectively signed by him.

Town Clerk shall deliver Copies of Lists to the Clerk of the Peace.

13 & 14 Vict. c. 69. s. 38.

*General Provisions.*

**21.** The Clerk of the Peace of every County in Ireland shall, as soon as possible after the *Fifth and before the Eighth Day of September*

Abstracts of Lists to be trans-



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mitted to Assistant Barristers empowered to revise them.

13 & 14 Vict. c. 69. s. 44.

*September One thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight*, transmit to the Chairman of such County, or any Riding thereof, an Abstract of the said several Special Lists published by him in pursuance of the Provisions of this Act; and the Clerk of the Peace of or acting in or for every City, Town, or Borough in Ireland shall, as soon as possible after the *Fifth and before the Eighth Day of September in the Year One thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight*, transmit an Abstract of the said several Special Lists published by him in pursuance of the Provisions of this Act, to the Chairman or the Revising Barrister or Barristers having Jurisdiction for the Registry of Voters for such City, Town, or Borough; in order that the Revision of such Lists in Counties, Cities, Towns, and Boroughs respectively may take place within the Time by this Act prescribed.

Courts of Revision to be held between 8th September and 6th October.

**22.** The Forty-sixth and Forty-seventh Sections of the Principal Act relating to the holding of Courts for the Revision of the Lists of Voters for Counties and for Cities, Towns, and Boroughs shall, as regards the Courts to be held for the Purposes aforesaid in the Year One thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight, be read as if the Words "Sixth Day of October" were substituted in those Sections respectively for the Words "Twenty-fifth Day of October," and at such Courts the Special Lists by this Act directed to be made out shall be revised in addition to the other Lists prepared under the said Principal Act, and shall be deemed to be Part of the same; and all the Provisions of the said Principal Act shall apply thereto, save as is herein otherwise provided.

Alteration as to Time for Delivery of Lists and Commencement of Register of Voters.

**23.** The Sixty-third and Sixty-fourth Sections of the Principal Act relating to the Transmission and Delivery of the Book or Books containing the Lists of Voters to the Sheriff and Returning Officer shall, as regards the Register to be formed *in the Year One thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight*, be read as if the Words "First Day of November" were substituted in those Sections for the Words "last Day of November," and the said Book or Books shall be the Register of Persons entitled to vote for the County, City, Town, or Borough to which such Register relates at any Election which takes place between *the First Day of November One thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight* and *the First Day of January One thousand eight hundred and seventy.*

List of Voters for University of Dublin.

**24.** In the Month of October in the Year One thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight the Registrar of the University of Dublin shall make out an alphabetical List of the Names of the Electors entitled to vote at any Election for Members to serve in Parliament for the said University; and the said Registrar shall cause Copies of such List to be printed on or before the First Day of November in the Year One thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight

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eight, and shall give a Copy of such List to any Elector applying for the same, upon being paid Two Shillings and Sixpence for each Copy.

**25.** *Any Expenses which shall be incurred by any Chairman, Revising Barrister, or Barristers, by reason of the Provisions of this Act, shall be repaid to him or them respectively by the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, out of Monies provided by Parliament.* Expenses of Chairman.

**26.** *By way of Remuneration for the additional Duties imposed by this Act in the Year One thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight, there shall be paid to the Clerks of the Peace, Town Clerks, and Clerks of Unions, such Sums respectively as the Chairman, or Barrister or Barristers revising the Lists of Parliamentary Electors in respect of which such additional Duties shall have been performed, shall award and certify, and all such Sums shall be paid by the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury out of Monies provided by Parliament.* Remuneration to Clerks of Peace, &c. for additional Duties.

**27.** The Words "the last Rate" in Part I. of this Act shall be deemed to mean the Rate referred to in the Precepts of the Clerks of the Peace issued in the Year One thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight, under the Sixteenth and Twenty-ninth Sections respectively of the Principal Act to the several Clerks of the Unions and the Town Clerks in Ireland respectively; and the Service of Notices of Objection may be made in the Manner prescribed by Section One hundred and fourteen of the Principal Act in that Behalf. "Last Rate;" Service of Notice of Objection.

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## PART II.

### Amendment of Law as to Registration.

**28.** In Counties, Cities, Towns, and Boroughs the Lists to be made out and transmitted by the Clerks of Poor Law Unions under the Provisions of the Principal Act, and in the County of the City of Dublin the List to be made out and transmitted by the Collector General of Rates under Section Twenty-one of "The Representation of the People (Ireland) Act, 1868," shall, in the Year One thousand eight hundred and sixty-nine, and in every succeeding Year, be respectively made out in alphabetical Order. Lists to be made out in alphabetical Order.

**29.** The Sixty-third and Sixty-fourth Sections of the Principal Act, relating to the Transmission and Delivery of the Book or Books containing the Lists of Voters to the Sheriff and Returning Officer, shall, as regards the Register to be formed in the Year One thousand eight hundred and sixty-nine, and in every succeeding Year, be read as if the Word "December" were substituted in those Sections for Alteration as to Time for Delivery of Lists and Commencement of Register of Voters.



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for the Word "November," and the said Book or Books shall be the Register of Persons entitled to vote for the County, City, Town, or Borough to which such Register relates at any Election which takes place during the Year commencing on the First Day of January next after such Register is made. 5

No Payment in future required for Registration of Electors in University of Dublin.

**30.** Every Person who has heretofore obtained or who shall hereafter obtain a Fellowship or Scholarship, or the Degree of Master of Arts, or any higher Degree, not of a purely honorary Nature, in the University of Dublin, and who shall be desirous of having his Name placed or retained on the Books of the said University for the Purpose of voting at any Election of Members to serve in Parliament for the Borough of the University of Dublin, under the Provisions of Section Four of the Act of the Session of the Fifth and Sixth Years of the Reign of Her present Majesty, Chapter Seventy-four, may require the Registrar of the said University to place or retain his Name upon the Books of the said University without any Payment whatsoever, anything in the said Section to the contrary notwithstanding: Provided always, that no Person shall be entitled to vote at any Election of a Member or Members to serve in Parliament for the said Borough of the University of Dublin unless his Name shall have been upon the Books of the said University for a Period not less than Two Months previous to such Election. 10 15 20

Registrar to make out alphabetical List of Electors. Copies of List to be printed.

**31.** In the Month of December in the Year One thousand eight hundred and sixty-nine, and in every succeeding Year, the Registrar of the said University of Dublin shall make out an alphabetical List of the Names of the Electors entitled to vote at any Election for Members to serve in Parliament for the said University; and the said Registrar shall cause Copies of such List to be printed on or before the First Day of January in the Year One thousand eight hundred and seventy, and in every succeeding Year, and shall give a Copy of such List to any Elector applying for the same, upon being paid Two Shillings and Sixpence for each Copy; and the said Registrar shall each Year publish a Copy of such List in the University Calendar, when such Calendar shall be published, or in some One or more of the public Journals having general Circulation in Ireland. 25 30 35

Occupiers not to claim as Lodgers, and Persons making false Declaration as to Claim guilty of Misdemeanor.

**32.** No Person rated as Occupier of any House or Premises shall be entitled to claim in respect of being a Lodger therein, and any Person who shall wilfully and corruptly make a false Declaration in relation to or in support of any Claim to vote as a Lodger made under the Provisions of the Representation of the People (Ireland) Act, 1868, or of this Act, shall be guilty of a Misdemeanor. 40

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**33.** From and after the passing of this Act no Person claiming, in respect of the Occupation of Lodgings, to be entitled to vote at any Election for a Member or Members to serve in Parliament for any City, Town, or Borough in Ireland shall be registered by any Chairman or Revising Barrister, unless Evidence be given in support of such Claim which such Chairman or Revising Barrister shall deem satisfactory.

Evidence to support Claim.

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## PART III.

### Formation or Alteration of Polling Places.

**34.** From and after the passing of this Act, the Act and Parts of Acts in Schedule (E.) to this Act annexed shall be and the same are hereby respectively repealed: Provided always, that no Repeal hereby enacted shall affect any Declaration or Order made, or any Act or Thing consequent thereon, under or by virtue of the said Act and Parts of Acts.

Act and Parts of Acts in Schedule (E.) repealed.

**35.** It shall be lawful for the Lord Lieutenant, or other Chief Governor or Governors of Ireland, on an Application to be signed by Six Justices of the Peace for any County or Riding, or by Twenty Inhabitants being registered Electors therein, to order that the Justices of the Peace of such County or Riding shall assemble at a Special Sessions, to be holden on a Day and at an Hour to be named in such Order, such Day not to be earlier than the Tenth Day after the Date of such Order, for the Purpose of appointing an additional Polling Place or additional Polling Places, or of discontinuing or altering any Polling Place or Districts in manner by this Act provided: Provided always, that such Special Sessions shall not be holden between the Thirtieth Day of May and the Twenty-second Day of July in any Year, or within Thirty Days before the Day appointed for the holding of any Court of Quarter Sessions in such County or Riding.

Lord Lieutenant may order Special Sessions to be held.

**36.** It shall be lawful for the Justices of any County or Riding in Ireland, in Special Sessions assembled, as in this Act provided, if they think Convenience requires it, to declare that any Place or Places shall be a Polling Place or Polling Places for such County or Riding, or shall be discontinued as such Polling Place or Places, and that any Barony or Baronies, Half Barony or Half Baronies, or any Portion thereof respectively, shall constitute a District or Districts for polling at such Polling Place or Places, and that the other Polling Districts of the said County or Riding shall be altered accordingly, or to declare that any Polling District or Districts shall be altered, and that any Barony or Half Barony, or Portion thereof

Justices at Special Sessions may appoint Polling Places, and form or alter Districts.



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thereof respectively, shall be detached from any such Polling District, and be annexed to any other Polling District; and every such Declaration appointing an additional Polling Place or Places and the Polling District or Districts for the same, or for discontinuing or altering any Polling Place or Places, Polling District or Districts, shall be certified under the Hand of the Clerk of the Peace of the said County or Riding, and when so certified a Copy of the same shall be published in the Dublin Gazette, and shall be of the same Force and Effect as if the same had been made by the Authority of Parliament: Provided always, that at any Election of a Member or Members to serve in Parliament for such County held after the making of any such Declaration, and before the List of Voters to be formed under the Provisions of this Act consequent upon any such Declaration shall be in force, the Poll shall be taken as if no such Declaration had been made.

When new Polling District has been formed, or former Polling District altered, Clerk of the Peace to send a Copy of the present Register of Voters to each Clerk of Poor Law Union in the District.

**37.** Within Four Days after the making of any Declaration by the Justices of any County or Riding for the Formation or Alteration of any Polling District under the Provisions of this Act, the Clerk of the Peace of such County or Riding shall transmit to the Clerk of every Poor Law Union respectively situate wholly or in part within any such Polling District, or within any Barony or Half Barony, or any Portion thereof detached by such Declaration from any former Polling District and annexed thereby to any other Polling District, Two or more Copies of the Register of Voters then in force of the Barony or Baronies, Half Barony or Half Baronies, from or out of which such new Polling District has been constituted, or other Polling District altered, and if there shall then be any Supplemental or other Lists relating thereto under the Principal Act or this Act, also Two Copies of such Supplemental or other Lists together with his Precept according to the Form numbered 1 in the Schedule (D) to this Act annexed, and One or more of the Forms (Numbered 2 and 3) in the said Schedule (D.), or to the like Effect, specifying the Portion or Portions of such Barony or Baronies, Half Barony or Half Baronies, whereof such Polling District is constituted, as specified or declared in the said Declaration; and also the Barony or Baronies, Half Barony or Half Baronies, any Portion or Portions whereof respectively may have been detached by such Declaration from any Polling District and annexed to any other Polling District; and thereupon such Clerk of the Poor Law Union as aforesaid, after due Inquiry, which he is thereby required to make, with the Assistance of the respective Collector or Collectors of Poor Rates for such respective Barony or Baronies or Divisions thereof out of which such Polling District may be constituted, or from which any Portion or Portions thereof may have been detached or annexed as aforesaid, shall and he is hereby required to write in the

Duty of the Clerk of the Poor Law Union.

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the Margin opposite the Name of each Person on the Copy of such List of registered Voters, and Supplemental or other Lists of Voters (if such shall have been transmitted), the Name of the Barony, Half Barony, Parish, Townland, or any Part thereof respectively, or other Division out of which in respect of Lands, Tenements, or Hereditaments therein, such Person's Name is on the List of registered Voters, or Supplemental or other Lists (if such shall have been transmitted) if such Barony, Half Barony, Parish, Townland, or any Part thereof respectively, or other Division, constitute such Polling District, or any Part thereof, or form any Portion of a Polling District detached from and annexed to any other Polling District; and such Copy or Copies of registered Voters, with such marginal Additions only as last aforesaid, and no other marginal Additions, shall be verified by such Clerk of the Union in the Manner provided by the Principal Act with respect to Supplemental Lists, and shall be returned to the said Clerk of the Peace within the Space of Ten Days next after the Receipt thereof from such Clerk of the Peace as last aforesaid.

Clerk of the Peace to make out alphabetical Lists for each Polling District, and print and publish them.

**38.** The Clerk of the Peace in such County or Riding as last aforesaid, upon the Receipt by him of the Copies of the Register of Voters, and of the Supplemental or other Lists (if such shall have been transmitted by him), for the several Baronies returned by the several Clerks of the Poor Law Unions wholly or in part within said County, with such marginal Additions as last aforesaid, shall, from such Copies and without any unnecessary Delay, make out, pursuant to the Directions in the Form (numbered 4) in the Schedule (D.) to this Act annexed, an alphabetical List for each Polling District or other Division into which such County or a Part thereof has been divided, pursuant to such Declaration, of all Persons upon such Register of Voters, Supplemental or other Lists (if there be such), in such Polling District or other Division; and the said Clerk of the Peace shall, in like Manner, and subject to the like Provisions as provided by the Principal Act with respect to Baronial Lists, cause the said Lists for such Half Barony, Polling District, or other Division to be printed and published.

Duty of Chairman to revise Lists.

**39.** The Chairman of Quarter Sessions of every such County shall (except as is herein-after expressly provided), at the Sessions of the Peace to be holden in any such County next after the Publication of such Lists, duly revise such Lists so far as they relate to the Arrangement and Classification thereof in such Polling District, or Polling Districts, or other Divisions, as the Case may be, and adjudicate thereon; and if it appears upon such Revision that the Name of any Voter in such County was erroneously inserted in the List of one Polling District or Division instead of another Polling District



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District or Division, such Chairman shall thereupon expunge such Name from such List, and insert the same in the List of the Polling District or other Division wherein the Name of such Person ought to have been placed: Provided always, that it shall not be necessary for such Chairman to hold any such last-mentioned Court of Revision at the Place or Places in which the List of Voters for the Barony or Half Barony out of which or any Part thereof such new Polling District or other Division may have been constituted, but the said Chairman shall and may hold such Court of Revision at the Sessions of the Peace to be holden in any One or more of the Divisions of the said County, which to the said Chairman shall seem fit, upon due Notice being given by such Chairman to the Clerk of the Peace of such County of the Time and Place or Times and Places for holding such Court of Revision Six Days at least before the Commencement thereof; and such Notice shall be written or printed, posted, published, and distributed in like Manner as is provided with respect to the Revision of the Lists of Voters under the Principal Act, or as near thereto as the Circumstances of the Case will admit: Provided always, that if the said Lists shall have been published in sufficient Time previous to the holding of the ordinary Courts of Revision for the Registry of Voters in such County, the said Chairman shall revise the said Lists, together with the other Lists brought before him for Revision, of which Lists they shall be deemed to be Part, and all the Provisions of the Principal Act shall apply thereto save as is herein otherwise provided.

Court of Revision, where to be holden.

Notice of the Time and Place for holding the Court to be given.

**40.** The said Chairman shall sign such Lists, when so revised, and transmit the same to the said Clerk of the Peace, who thereupon shall in like Manner and subject to the like Provisions as provided by the Principal Act with respect to Baronial Lists, cause the said Lists for such Half Barony, Polling District, or other Division to be printed in a Book or Books, numbered and arranged, with the Names in each Polling District or other Division, in strict alphabetical Order, and in such Manner and Form that the List of Voters for each and every separate Polling District or other Division contained therein may be conveniently and completely cut out or detached from all the other Lists of Voters contained in the same Book, in the same Manner and for the same Purposes as the Lists of Voters for separate Baronies are printed and arranged under the Principal Act; and such separate Lists shall be intituled according to the Forms (numbered 5, 6, 7) in the said Schedule (D.) to this Act annexed, and endorsed with the Name of the Polling District and Polling Place therein according to the Form (numbered 8) in the said Schedule, and the same shall be delivered to the Sheriff of the County, signed by the said Clerk of the Peace, on a Day to be fixed by the said Chairman, and such Lists shall from and after such Delivery

Revised Lists to be separately printed and arranged for each Polling District.

How to be endorsed.

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Delivery be the Register of Voters to vote at such Polling Places until the First Day of January then next: Provided always, that if such Lists shall have been revised at any ordinary Court of Revision, or at the Michaelmas Sessions of the Peace, such Lists shall be 5 delivered to the said Sheriff in like Manner, at the same Time, and for the like Purposes as by Section 63 of the Principal Act provided in respect of the Book or Books therein mentioned.

**41.** After the first Registry in any County or in any Part thereof under the Provisions of this Act, all future Lists of Voters, and 10 of Persons entitled to or claiming to vote for such new or additional Polling Districts or Divisions in such County or in any Part thereof, shall be made, published, and revised under and in pursuance of the Provisions of the Principal Act, or as near thereto as the Circumstances of the Case shall permit, except as herein is 15 excepted.

Future Revisions

**42.** The Clerk of the Peace of every such County shall attend each and every Court of Revision which shall be held in such County under this Act, with all such Lists, Notices, and Returns as may be requisite for the Revision of the Lists in pursuance of this 20 Act, and according to the respective Polling Districts or other Divisions constituted as aforesaid; and the Clerks of the several Unions, and the Collectors of Poors Rates therein, wholly or in part in such County shall attend at the Courts of Revision holden in such County for such Polling Districts or other Divisions aforesaid, wherein their 25 respective Unions or any Part thereof may be situate, and shall produce all such Books of Rates, Documents, Papers, or Writings in their Possession, Custody, or Power, as they are now by Law required to produce at the Courts of Revision holden under the Principal Act, and if required by the said Chairman shall also 30 produce all Copy Lists or Tables of the Townlands, Parishes, and Baronies, within their respective Unions as aforesaid, and also all Lists of Valuation and of every Revision thereof which may have been theretofore lodged with such Clerks of Poor Law Unions, or transmitted to them or to the respective Boards of Guardians of 35 such Unions by the Commissioner of Valuation in Ireland, and shall answer upon Oath all such Questions as such Chairman may put to them touching any Matter herein mentioned.

Duty of the Clerk of the Peace at the Court of Revision.

Clerk of the Poor Law Unions to attend Courts of Revision.

**43.** Every Court of Revision to be holden under Part III. of this Act shall be deemed to be a Court of Revision under the Principal 40 Act, and shall be a Court of Record; and the Chairman before whom such Court shall be held shall have the like Power and Authority to fine the Clerk of the Peace, or his Deputy the Under Sheriff of the County, any Collector of Poor Rates, or Clerk of

Court of Revision to be deemed a Court of Revision under 13 & 14 Vict. c. 69., and a Court of Record.



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of any Union, respectively, who shall be guilty of any Breach of Duty under or in execution of this Act, any Sum not exceeding Five Pounds to be imposed by and at the Discretion of such Chairman, such Fines to be paid and appropriated in the like Manner as by the Principal Act is provided with respect to such Fines that may be imposed under the Provisions thereof. 5

Compensation to Clerks of Unions for additional Duties under this Act.

**44.** The Guardians of the Poor of each Union, after Part III. of this Act shall come into operation therein, may, by an Order, make such annual or other Allowance out of the Rates to the Clerk of such Union respectively, as Compensation for the additional Duty hereby imposed upon him, as the said Guardians shall think proper; but no such Order shall be acted upon or any Payment made thereunder until the same shall be approved of by the Poor Law Commissioners, and the Payment sanctioned by them. 10

Expenses incurred by the Clerk of the Peace in carrying into effect this Act provided for by Presentment.

**45.** All Expenses incurred or to be incurred by the Clerk of the Peace in any such County as aforesaid in carrying into effect the Provisions of Part III. of this Act, including all additional Expenses of forming and arranging the separate Lists for the several Polling Districts or other Divisions as aforesaid, and the providing, printing, and publishing thereof, and all other Expenses that may be hereby imposed on such Clerk of the Peace, shall be deemed and are hereby declared to be Expenses incurred by the said Clerk of the Peace under the Principal Act; and an Account thereof shall be laid before the next Presentment Sessions of the County after the same shall be incurred, or shall be included in or added to the Account of the Expenses of the Clerk of the Peace which by the said Act are directed to be laid before the next Presentment Sessions of the County after the same shall have been incurred; and the Grand Jury of such County shall present for the same, or so much thereof as such Presentment Sessions or Grand Jury shall allow to be levied off such County, and to be paid in like Manner as provided by the said Act. 15 20 25 30

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## PART IV.

### *Miscellaneous.*

Amendment of 25 & 26 Vict. c. 92. as to Elections in Counties.

**46.** Whereas by the Act of the Session of the Twenty-fifth and Twenty-sixth Years of the Reign of Her present Majesty, Chapter Ninety-two, Section One, it is enacted, that from and after the passing of that Act any such Special Court as is therein mentioned for the Purpose of the Election of a Member or Members to serve in 35

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in Parliament for any County in Ireland shall be holden on any Day (Sunday, Good Friday, and Christmas Day excepted) not later from the Day of making such Proclamation than the Twelfth Day, nor sooner than the Sixth Day: Provided that that Section shall not apply to the Election for any County of a City or of a Town: Be it enacted, That the said Section shall be read as if the Words "Fourth Day" were substituted for "Sixth Day."

Power to adjourn Courts of Revision.

**47.** In case it shall so happen that the Chairman of the County, by Death, Illness, or other Cause, shall not be in attendance to open any Revision Court appointed to be held for any County, District, or Borough on the Day appointed for opening the same, or after having opened the same, shall not continue his Attendance until the Business of such Revision Court shall be completed, it shall be lawful for the Clerk of the Peace of the County, or his Deputy, at the Expiration of Two Hours from the Time fixed for the opening of the said Revision Court, or from the Discontinuance of such Attendance as aforesaid, and not before, to open and adjourn such Revision Court, and so from Time to Time, and for such reasonable Time as shall be sufficient for the Chancellor for the Time being or Keeper or Commissioner of the Great Seal in Ireland to be informed of such Death, Illness, or Absence, and to appoint some other Person to do the Duty of the said Revision Court, and for such Person to repair to the Place where such Revision Court should be held, and to take upon himself the Execution of the said Duty.

Power to Lord Lieutenant to appoint Revising Barristers in certain Cases.

**48.** *In case it shall appear to the Lord Lieutenant or other Chief Governor or Governors of Ireland that from any Cause the Lists of Voters in the Year One thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight for any County, City, Town, or Borough in Ireland cannot be revised by the Chairman or Revising Barrister or Barristers within the Period directed by this Act, he may appoint One or more Barrister or Barristers, of not less than Ten Years Standing, to act together with such Chairman, Revising Barrister, or Barristers in such Revision; and such Barrister or Barristers so appointed shall have the same Powers and Authorities in every respect in regard to such Revision as such Chairman, Revising Barrister, or Barristers; and every Barrister so appointed shall be paid such Sum in consideration of the Duties performed by him as the Lord Lieutenant or other Chief Governor or Governors of Ireland shall appoint, and the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury shall approve, and such Monies shall be paid by the said Commissioners out of Monies provided by Parliament.*



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# SCHEDULES.

## SCHEDULE (A).

*Forms.*

No. 1.

SPECIAL PRECEPT OF THE CLERK OF THE PEACE TO THE CLERK OF THE UNION IN THE YEAR 1868.

County of , Barony of
To the Clerk of the Union of

In pursuance of the Provisions of "The Registration Amendment (Ireland) Act, 1868," I require your Attention to the following Instructions; that is to say, On or before the Eighth Day of August next, you are to make out, and transmit to me, a Special List of every Male Person of full Age who shall be rated in the last Rate, as the same is defined in Section Twenty-seven of the said Act, made for the Relief of the Poor as the Occupier of any Lands, Tenements, or Hereditaments situate within your Union, and in the said Barony, or in your Division of the said Barony, (*as the Case may be,*) jointly with any other Person or Persons, of a net annual Value of such an Amount as when divided by the Number of Occupiers would give to each such Occupier a net annual Value of Twelve Pounds or upwards; and you are also to insert in such List the Names of every Male Person of full Age who shall have been rated in the said last Rate made for the Relief of the Poor as the Occupier of Lands, Tenements, or Hereditaments of a net annual Value of Twelve Pounds or upwards where the said Premises shall not have been the same Premises, but different Premises occupied in immediate Succession during the Twelve Calendar Months next previous to the Twentieth Day of July One thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight, but you are to exclude nevertheless from such Special List every such Occupier who shall not, on or before the First Day of July in this Year, have paid all Poor Rates (if any) which shall have become payable by him in respect of such Premises previously to the First Day of January last; and you are required, after due Inquiry, which you are required to make, with the Assistance of the respective Collectors of Poor Rates as aforesaid, to enter Objections, by adding in the Margin the Word "objected" or "dead," (*as the Case may be,*) before the Names

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Names of Persons in such Special List contained, and not entitled to be on the Register next to be made, and such Special List shall be in the Form and shall contain the Particulars mentioned in the Form (Number 2.) herewith sent; and such List shall be signed by you, and shall be verified by you as true and correct, according to the best of your Belief, by an Oath or Declaration to be made or taken by you before some Justice of the Peace for the said County within which such Lands are situate, or the County in which your Union Workhouse is situate, and which Oath any such Justice is authorized and required to administer or take, and to certify at the Foot of such List the taking of such Oath or the making of such Declaration.

You are required to allow to any Person on the Lists of Voters of the County, or in this Special List, Inspection of the Rate Books, and to make Extracts therefrom during the Periods prescribed by the said Act.

You, or a sufficient Deputy to be appointed by you, are or is to attend the Court to be holden by the Chairman of the Sessions for the County of in which the said Barony lies (of the Time and Place of holding which Notice will be sent to you), and there to have for the Inspection of the Chairman holding such Court the Rate Books or Copies of the Parts thereof relating to Premises within the said Barony, or your Division thereof.

Herein if you fail you will be liable to the Penalties in that Case provided.

Given under my Hand, this Day of .

*A.B.*,

Clerk of the Peace for the County of .

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No. 2.

[*To be used in the Year 1868.*]

County of , Barony of .

Clerk of Union's Special Return, for the Year 1868, of Male Persons rated in the last Rate under the Acts for the Relief of the destitute Poor, as the Occupiers, jointly with any other Person or Persons, of Lands, Tenements, or Hereditaments rated separately or together at a net annual Value of such an Amount as when divided by the Number of Occupiers would give to each such Occupier a net annual Value of Twelve Pounds or upwards, and of such Male Persons rated in the said Rate, under the said Acts, as Occupiers of Lands, Tenements, or Hereditaments of the net annual Value of



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Twelve Pounds or upwards where the said last-mentioned Premise shall not have been the same Premises, but different Premises occupied in immediate Succession during the Twelve Calendar Months previous to the Twentieth Day of July One thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight, situate in the Barony of , being Part of the Poor Law Union of , and all which Occupiers have on or before the First Day of July One thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight paid all Poor Rates (if any) which have become payable by them respectively out of such respective Lands, Tenements, or Hereditaments previously to the First Day of January One thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight.

| Column for entering the Clerk of the Union's Objections. | Rated Occupier's Christian Name and Surname at full Length. | Place of Abode. | Townland or Denomination, and Name or Description of Premises rated. | Rated Value of Premises. |
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I certify that this is a correct List. Dated this Day of 18 .

(Signed) *A.B.*,
Clerk of the Union of .

Verified on Oath or by Declaration by the said *A.B.* before me, a Justice of the Peace for the County of .
(Signed) *C.D.*, Justice.

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No. 3.

County of , Barony of .

Special List in the Year 1868.

Clerk of the Peace's Special List of Male Persons rated under the last Rate under the Acts for the Relief of the destitute Poor as the Occupiers, jointly with any other Person or Persons, of Lands, Tenements, or Hereditaments rated separately or together at a net annual Value of such an Amount as when divided by the Number of

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of Occupiers would give to each such Occupier a net annual Value of Twelve Pounds or upwards, and of such Male Persons rated in the said Rate, under the said Acts, as Occupiers of Lands, Tenements, or Hereditaments of the net annual Value of Twelve Pounds or upwards where the said last-mentioned Premises shall not have been the same Premises, but different Premises occupied in immediate Succession during the Twelve Calendar Months previous to the Twentieth Day of July One thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight, and situate in the Barony of being Part of the Poor Law Union of , and all which Occupiers have on or before the First Day of July One thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight paid all Poor Rates, if any, which have become payable by them respectively out of such respective Lands, Tenements, or Hereditaments previously to the First Day of January One thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight.

| Column for entering Clerk of the Union's Objections. | Rated Occupier's Christian Name and Surname at full Length. | Place of Abode. | Townland or Denomination, and Name or Description of Premises rated. | Rated Value of Premises. |
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I certify that this is a correct List. Dated this Day of 1868.

(Signed) *A.B.*,

Clerk of the Peace of the County of .



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No. 4.

NOTICE TO BE GIVEN BY THE CLERK OF THE PEACE AS TO CLAIMS TO VOTE.

County of .

I hereby give Notice, That all Persons entitled to vote in the Election of a Knight or Knights of the Shire for the County of in respect of Premises situate wholly or in part within any Barony of this County, who shall not be on the Special List of Ratepayers for such Barony, and are not upon the Register of Voters now in force (relating to such Barony), and who are desirous to have their Names inserted in the Register of Voters about to be made for the said County under the Provisions of the Registration Amendment (Ireland) Act, 1868, are hereby required to give or send to me at my Office, on or before the Twentieth Day of August in this Year, a Notice in Writing, by them signed, in which their Name and Surname at full Length, their Place of Abode, and the Particulars of their Qualification, must be legibly written, according to the Form (No. 5.) hereunder set forth.*

Dated this Day of in the Year 1868.

(Signed) *A.B.*,
Clerk of the Peace of the County of .

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No. 5.

FORM OF NOTICE OF CLAIM TO BE INSERTED ON SPECIAL LIST TO BE GIVEN TO THE CLERK OF THE PEACE IN THE YEAR 1868.

Barony of .

To the Clerk of the Peace of the County of .

I hereby give you Notice, That I claim to be inserted in the Special List for this Barony of Voters for the County of , and that the Particulars of my Place of Abode and Qualification are stated in the Columns below.

Dated the Day of in the Year 1868.

(Signed) *A.B.*

| Christian Name and Surname of the Claimant at full Length. | Place of Abode. | Nature and Amount of Qualification. | Townland or Denomination, Street, Lane, or other like Place in this Barony, and Number of House (if any), where the Property is situate, or Name of the Property. |
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* Note.—The Form (No. 5.) should be annexed to this Notice.

No. 6.

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No. 6.

County of , Barony of , to wit.

The Special List of Persons under the Provisions of "The Representation of the People (Ireland) Act, 1868," in the Year One thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight, claiming to be entitled to vote in the Election of a Knight [*or* Knights] of the Shire for the County of in respect of Property situate wholly or in part within the Barony of .

| Margin for entering Clerk of the Peace's Objections. | Christian Name and Surname of each Voter at full Length. | Place of Abode. | Nature and Amount of Qualification. | Townland or Denomination, Street, Lane, or other like Place in this Barony, and Number of House (if any) where the Property is situate, or Name of the Property. |
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(Signed) *A.B.*,
Clerk of the Peace of the said County.

No. 7.

NOTICE OF OBJECTION TO BE GIVEN TO THE CLERK OF THE PEACE.

Barony of .

To the Clerk of the Peace of the County of .

I hereby give you Notice, That I object to the Name of the Person mentioned and described below being retained in the Special List for this Barony of Voters for the County of .

| Christian and Surname of the Person objected to as described in the Special List. | Place of Abode, as described. | Nature of Qualification as described. | Townland or Denomination, Street, Lane, or other like Place, where the qualifying Property is situate, &c., as described in the Special List. |
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Dated the Day of in the Year .
(Signed) *A.B.* [*Place of Abode.*]



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No. 8.

NOTICE OF OBJECTION TO BE GIVEN TO PARTIES OBJECTED TO BY ANY PERSON OTHER THAN THE CLERK OF THE PEACE OR CLERK OF THE UNION.

Barony of . 5

To Mr. of .

Take notice, That I object to your Name being retained in the Special List for this Barony of Voters for the County of .

Dated this Day of One thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight. 10

(Signed) *A.B.*, of [*Place of Abode,*] being now registered [*or* on the Register of Voters, *or* List of Voters, or Special List of Voters, *as the Case may be,*] for the County of .

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No. 9. 15

LIST OF PERSONS OBJECTED TO IN THE YEAR 1868, TO BE PUBLISHED BY THE CLERK OF THE PEACE.

County of Barony of .

The following Persons have been objected to, as not being entitled to have their Names retained in the Special List for this Barony 20 of Voters for the County of .

| Christian Name and Surname of each Person objected to. | Place of Abode. | Nature of the supposed Qualification. | Townland or Denomination, Street, Lane, or other like Place in this Barony, and Number of House (if any) where the Property is situate, or Name of the Property. 25 |
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(Signed) *A.B.*

Clerk of the Peace of the County of .

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## SCHEDULE (B.)

*Forms.*

No. 1.

SPECIAL PRECEPT OF THE CLERK OF THE PEACE TO THE TOWN CLERK.

City [*or* Town *or* Borough] of in the County of , to wit.

To the Town Clerk &c. of the City [*or* of *or* in the Town *or* Borough] of .

In pursuance of the Provisions of the Registration Amendment (Ireland) Act, 1868, I require your Attention to the following Instructions:

On or before the Eighth Day of August you are to make out a Special List in alphabetical Order, according to the Form (numbered 2.) herewith sent, of all such Male Persons of full Age as shall appear on the List transmitted to you by the Clerk of the Union in this Year as the rated Occupier, or One of several rated joint Occupiers, of Lands, Tenements, or Hereditaments situate within this City [Town *or* Borough] of the net annual Value of less than Eight Pounds and more than Four Pounds [*or*, in the Case of joint Occupiers, more than Four Pounds and less than Eight Pounds for each such joint Occupier].

You are to omit from the said List all such Persons as shall not have paid, on or before the First Day of July 1868, all Poor Rates payable by them severally, if any, in respect of such Premises previously to the First Day of January 1868.

You are to add, with a Stamp or in Writing, the Word "objected" to the Name of any Person inserted in the said List (marked No. 2.) in case you shall have reasonable Cause to believe such Person not to be, or to have ceased to be, Occupier or joint Occupier of the Premises in respect of which he shall have been rated, or not to have been such Occupier or joint Occupier for the Space of Twelve Calendar Months next previous to such Twentieth Day of July; and in the said List, to be made out by you, the Christian Name and Surname of every such Person must be written at full Length, together with the Place of his Abode and the Nature of his Qualification; and the Name of the Street, Lane, and the Number of the House (if any), or other Description of the Place where such Property may be situate, shall be specified in the List; and you shall



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shall sign the said List, and shall forthwith cause a sufficient Number of Copies of the said List, with all such marginal Additions, to be written or printed.

You are to publish, in the Manner by the Principal Act directed with regard to Notices, Copies of the said List, signed by you, on or before the Nineteenth Day of August, and you are likewise to keep a Copy of each of the said Lists, signed by you, to be perused by any Person, without Payment of any Fee, at any Time between the Hours of Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon and Four of the Clock in the Afternoon of any Day, except Sunday, during the first Four Days after such Lists shall have been so published, and you are to deliver Copies thereof to all Persons applying for the same, on Payment of a Price for each Copy after the Rate contained in the Table herewith sent.

You are, on or before the Twenty-fifth Day of August, to make out and to publish, in manner aforesaid, a Special List, according to the Form numbered 4, containing the Name of every Person who shall have given or have caused to be given to you, on or before the Twenty-second Day of August, his Claim to have his Name inserted in the Special List; but if you have reasonable Cause to believe that any Person whose Name shall appear in such List of Claimants is not entitled to have his Name upon the Register then next to be made, you are to add in like Manner the Word "objected" before the Name of every such Person on the Margin of such List of Claimants; you are also to make out another Special List, according to the Form numbered 5., containing the Name of every Person against whom a Notice of Objection shall have been given to you, on or before the First Day of September, as not being entitled to have his Name retained in the Special List for your City [*or* Town *or* Borough]; and on or before the Fourth Day of September you are to sign each of such last-mentioned Special Lists and publish the same on some public and conspicuous Situation on the Outside of the outer Door or on the outer Wall near the Door of the Town Hall, or if there be no Town Hall, then on such other Place as aforesaid in the same Manner as before mentioned with regard to the Notices.

You are to keep a Copy of these Special Lists, signed by you, and you are to allow the same, and also the Notices of Objection, to be perused by any Person, without Payment of any Fee, at any Time between the Hours of Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon and Four of the Clock in the Afternoon of any Day, except Sunday, during the first Four Days after the said Lists shall have been published, and you are to deliver a Copy of each of such Lists to any Person requiring the same, on the Payment of a Price for each Copy after the Rate contained in the Table herewith sent.

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If you shall find that any such Notice, List, or other Document published by you as aforesaid has been destroyed, mutilated, effaced, or removed, you are forthwith to place another in its Room to the same Effect.

5 On or before the Fifth Day of September you are to deliver to me Copies of the said Special List of Voters so made out by you, with the marginal Additions as aforesaid, Copies of the Special List of Claimants, and Copies of the Special List of Persons objected to, so respectively made out and signed as aforesaid.

10 You are to attend the Court to be holden for the Revision of the List of Voters for your City [*or* Town *or* Borough], of the Time of holding which due Notice will be given; and at the opening of such Court you are there to deliver to the Chairman of the Sessions for the County, *or* Revising Barrister, before whom the same 15 shall be holden, the several Lists made out by you, with the marginal Additions as aforesaid, and signed by you, and the original Notices of Objection and the original Notices of Claims given to you, together with the List transmitted to you by the Clerk of the Union.

Herein if you fail, you will be liable to the Penalties in that Case 20 provided. Given under my Hand this Day of One thousand eight hundred and .

(Signed) *A.B.* { Clerk of the Peace of or acting in or for the City [*or* Town *or* Borough] of



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No. 2.

Clerk of Union's Special List, for the Year 1868, of Male Persons rated in the last Rate under the Acts for the Relief of the destitute Poor as the Occupiers of Lands, Tenements, or Hereditaments rated separately or together at the net annual Value of less than Eight Pounds and more than Four Pounds, and situate in the City [*or* Town *or* Borough] of ' being Part of the Poor Law Union of (or, in the Case of joint Occupiers, rated at a net annual Value of such an Amount as, when divided by the Number of such Occupiers, would give to each a net annual Value of less than Eight Pounds and more than Four Pounds); excluding from this List all such Occupiers as have not, on or before the First Day of July 1868 paid all Poor Rates, if any, which have become payable by them respectively out of such respective Premises previously to the First Day of January 1868.

| Christian Name and Surname at full Length. | Place of Abode. | Name or Description of Premises rated. | Rated Value of Premises. |
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I certify that this is a correct List. Dated this Day of 1868.

(Signed) *A.B.*
Clerk of the Union of .

Verified on Oath, or by Declaration, by the said *A.B.* before me, a Justice of the Peace for the of .

(Signed) *C.D.*, Justice.

No. 3.

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No. 3.

[313] Special List of Male Persons entitled to vote in the Election of a Member [*or* Members] to serve in Parliament for the City [*or* Town *or* Borough] of as being Persons rated in the last Rate under the Acts for the Relief of the destitute Poor as the Occupiers of Lands, Tenements, and Hereditaments, rated separately or together at the net annual Value of less than Eight Pounds and more than Four Pounds, and situate in the City [*or* Town *or* Borough] of , being Part of the Poor Law Union of (or, in the Case of joint Occupiers, rated at a net annual Value of such an Amount as, when divided by the Number of such Occupiers, would give to each a net annual Value of less than Eight Pounds and more than Four Pounds), all which Persons aforesaid have, on or before the First Day of July 1868, paid all Poor Rates, if any, which have become payable by them respectively out of such respective Premises previously to the First Day of January 1868

| Margin for entering Town Clerk's Objections. | Christian Name and Surname at full Length | Place of Abode | Nature of Qualification | Name or Description of Premises rated (Street, Lane or other like Place in this City [or Town or Borough], and Number of the House (if any) where the Property is situate | Rated Value of Premises. |
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I certify that this is a correct List. Dated this Day of 18

(Signed) *A B* { Town Clerk for the City [*or* Town *or* Borough] of

No. 4.

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No. 4.

SPECIAL LIST, FOR THE YEAR 1868, OF CLAIMANTS, TO BE PUBLISHED BY THE TOWN CLERK.

The following Persons claim to have their Names inserted in the Special List of Persons entitled to vote in the Election of a Member [*or* Members] for the City [*or* Town *or* Borough] of in respect of being Occupiers of Lands, Tenements, or Hereditaments rated separately or together at the net annual Value of less than Eight Pounds and more than Four Pounds within the said City [*or* Town *or* Borough].

| Column for entering Town Clerk's Objections. | Christian Name and Surname of each Claimant at full Length. | Place of Abode. | Nature of Qualification. | Street, Lane, or other like Place in the City [*or* Borough] where the Property is situate, and Number of the House (if any). |
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(Signed) *A.B.*
Town Clerk of the City [*or* Town *or* Borough] of

No. 5.

SPECIAL LIST, FOR THE YEAR 1868, OF PERSONS OBJECTED TO TO BE PUBLISHED BY THE TOWN CLERK.

The following Persons have been objected to as not being entitled to have their Names retained in the Special List of Persons qualified to vote in the Election of a Member [*or* Members] for the City [*or* Town *or* Borough] of in respect of being Occupiers of Lands, Tenements, or Hereditaments rated separately or together at a net annual Value of less than Eight Pounds and more than Four Pounds within the said City [*or* Town *or* Borough] or in respect of the Occupation of Lodgings.

| Christian Name and Surname of each Person objected to. | Place of Abode. | Nature of the supposed Qualification | Street, Lane, or other Place in the Parish where the Property is situate, and Number of the House (if any). |
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(Signed) *A.B.*
Town Clerk of the City [*or* Town *or* Borough] of

No. 6.

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No. 6.

NOTICE OF CLAIM.

To the Town Clerk of the City [*or* Town *or* Borough] of

I hereby give you Notice, That I claim to have my Name inserted in the Special List made by you of Persons entitled to vote in the Election of a Member [*or* Members] for the City [*or* Town *or* Borough] of , and that the Particulars of my Qualification and Place of Abode are stated in the Columns below.

Dated the Day of One thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight.

| Christian Name and Surname of the Claimant at full Length. | Place of Abode. | Nature of Qualification. | Street, Lane, or other Place in the City [*or* Town *or* Borough] where the Property is situate, and Number of the House (if any). |
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(Signed) *A.B.*

No. 7.

NOTICE OF OBJECTION.

To the Town Clerk of the City [*or* Town *or* Borough] of

I hereby give you Notice, That I object to the Name of being retained on the Special List, or on the List of Lodgers as a Person entitled to vote in the Election of a Member [*or* Members] for the City [*or* Town *or* Borough] of .

Dated this Day of .

(Signed) *A.B.* of [*Place of Abode*], on the List of Voters for the City [*or* Town *or* Borough] of

No. 8.

FORM OF NOTICE OF OBJECTION TO BE GIVEN TO PARTIES OBJECTED TO.

To Mr. .

I hereby give you Notice, That I object to your Name being retained on the Special List, or on the List of Lodgers as a Person entitled to vote in the Election of Members [*or* a Member] for the City [*or* Town *or* Borough] of .

Dated this Day of .

(Signed) *A.B.* of [*Place of Abode*], on the List of Voters or Special List for the City [*or* Town *or* Borough] of



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FORM No. 9.

*Claim of Lodger.*

City, Town, *or* Borough of

To the Town Clerk of the City, Town, *or* Borough of

I hereby claim to be inserted in the List of Voters in respect of the Occupation of the under-mentioned Lodgings, and the Particulars of my Qualification are stated in the Columns below.

| Christian Name and Surname at full Length. | Profession, Trade, or Calling. | Description of Lodgings. | Description of House in which Lodgings situate, with Number, if any, and Name of Street. | Name, Description, and Residence of Landlord or other Person to whom Rent paid. |
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I, the above-named hereby declare that I have been during the Twelve Months immediately preceding the Twentieth Day of July in this Year the Occupier as sole Tenant of the above-mentioned Lodgings, and that I have resided therein during the Twelve Months immediately preceding the said Twentieth Day of July, and that such Lodgings are of a clear yearly Value, if let unfurnished, of Ten Pounds or upwards.

Dated the Day of

Signature of Claimant -

Witness to the Signature of the said }
And I certify my Belief in the Accuracy of the above Claim. }

Name of Witness - - -

Residence and Calling - -

[This Claim must bear Date after the Twenty-first Day of July, and must be delivered to the Town Clerk on or before the Twenty-second Day of August.]

FORM

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FORM No. 10.

*List of Claimants in respect of Lodgings to be published by the Town Clerk.*

The following Persons claim to have their Names inserted in the List of Persons entitled to vote in the Election of a Member [*or* Members] for the City, Town, *or* Borough of .

| Christian Name and Surname of each Claimant, at full Length. | Profession, Trade, or Calling. | Description of Lodgings. | Description of House in which Lodgings situate, with Number, if any, and Name of Street. | Name, Description, and Residence of Landlord or other Person to whom Rent paid. |
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(Signed) *A.B.*, Town Clerk.

## SCHEDULE (C.)

TABLE OF RATES OF PAYMENT TO BE DEMANDED AND PAID FOR ANY LIST OR COPY OF A LIST (OTHER THAN A REGISTER), WHERE A PAYMENT IS REQUIRED AND AUTHORIZED BY THIS ACT.

For any List or Copy of a List containing any Number of Persons Names:

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| Not exceeding 100 Names - - | 0 | 6 |
| Exceeding 100 and not exceeding 200 - | 1 | 0 |
| Exceeding 200 and not exceeding 300 - | 1 | 6 |
| Exceeding 300 and not exceeding 400 - | 2 | 0 |
| Exceeding 400 - - - - | 2 | 6 |

## SCHEDULE (D.)

No. 1.

PRECEPT OF THE CLERK OF THE PEACE TO THE CLERK OF THE UNION.

To the Clerk of the Union of
County of
Polling District of

In pursuance of the Provisions of "The Registration Amendment (Ireland) Act, 1868," you are herewith transmitted in the Form (No. 2.) the Name of the Polling District of , and the several Parts and Divisions of the Barony (*or* Baronies, *as the Case may be*,) out of which such Polling District is constituted



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constituted, and also in the Form (No. 3.) the Name of the Barony, and the Names of the Portions thereof detached from the Polling District of and annexed to the Polling District of ; you are also sent a Copy of the Register of Voters for the present Year of the Barony of (*or* the Baronies of ) [*and* of the Supplement List *and* Special List] from or out of which such Polling District is constituted, or from which certain Portions are detached and annexed to another Polling District. You shall, within the Space of Ten Days next after the Receipt of such Copy of the Register, [*and* such List *and* Lists] after due Inquiry, which you are required to make with the Assistance of the respective Collectors of Poor Rates (which Assistance such respective Collectors are required to give), upon the Copy of the Register [*and* Supplemental List *and* Special List] of the Barony or Division of a Barony included in your Union, write legibly in the Margin of such Copy, and opposite the Names respectively of the Persons on such Copy, the Name of the Half Barony, Parish, Townland, or other Division (*as the Case may be*), as named and specified in the said Form (No. 2.) sent herewith, in which Half Barony, Parish, or other Division or Denomination the Property is situate in respect whereof the Names of such Persons respectively appear on such Copy of the Register [Supplemental List and Special List], and also in like Manner in the Margin of such Copy of the Barony of
write legibly opposite the Names respectively of the Persons on such Copy the Name of the Half Barony, Parish, Townland, or other Division (*as the Case may be*), as named and specified in the Form (No. 3.) sent herewith, in which Half Barony Parish, or other Division or Denomination the Property is situate in respect whereof the Names of such Persons respectively appear on such Copy of the Register, Supplemental or Special List; and for the better enabling you to ascertain the Half Barony, Parish, or other Division in which such Property respectively may be situate you are at liberty to refer to and make use of any Tables or Lists of Valuation and Revisions thereof of which any Copies or Copy may have been lodged with you or transmitted to the Board of Guardians of your Union by the Commissioners of Valuation in Ireland; and such Copy of the Register, with such marginal Additions as aforesaid, shall be signed by you, and shall be verified by you as true and correct, according to the best of your Belief, by an Oath or Declaration to be made or taken by you before some Justice of the Peace for the said County in which such Lands are situate, and which Oath or Declaration any such Justice is authorized to administer or take.

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No. 2.

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No. 2.

County of Polling District of .

[State precisely as published in the Dublin Gazette (if a Half Barony) the Name of the Half Barony and Parishes or Parts of Parishes or other Denominations therein constituting such new Polling District; or if the Polling District be constituted out of Parts of several Baronies, Townlands, Parishes, or Parts of Parishes respectively, then state them accordingly as]—

The Townland of in the Parish of and Barony of . So much of the Parish of as is situate in the Barony of . The Townlands of in the Parish of and Barony of . The Parishes of in the Barony of [*as the Case may be*].

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No. 3.

County of Polling District of .

[State precisely, as published in the Dublin Gazette, the Parts or Portions of the Barony or Baronies detached from a former Polling District, and annexed to another Polling District, as thus]—

The Parishes of in the Barony of . So much of the Parish of as is in the Barony of . The Townlands of in the Parish of in the Barony of detached from the Barony of [*or* Polling District of ] and annexed to the Barony of [*or* Polling District of , *as the Case may be*].

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No. 4.

[The Clerk of the Peace shall, from the Copies of the Register transmitted to him by the Clerks of the respective Unions, select the Names of the Persons entitled to vote in respect of Property in the Polling District, and make out and arrange the Lists in alphabetical Order, omitting in the Margin opposite each Name the Parish, Townland, or other Division in which the Property is situate, but inserting it in the last Column, and may entitle the Causes according to the Forms 5, 6, 7, or such One or more of them as may be applicable.]

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No. 5.

[If the Polling District be a new or additional District formed out of a Part of a Barony or out of Portions of several Baronies it may be entitled thus]—

County of Polling District of .

Copy of the Register (so far as relates to the Polling District of , consisting of

[Here state the several Townlands, Parishes, or other Divisions constituting this Polling District, as declared in the Dublin Gazette]

) of Persons entitled to vote at any Election of a Member or Members of Parliament for the County of between and the last Day of December next.

| Number prefixed to each Name on the Register. | Christian Name and Surname of each Person on the Register at full Length. | Place of Abode. | Nature of Qualification. | Amount of Qualification or Rating. | Townland or other Denomination, Street, Lane, or other like Place in this Polling District, and Number of House (if any), and the Parish and Barony where the Property is situate, or Name of the Property and the Name of the Tenant (if any); or if the Qualification consist of a Rentcharge, the Name of the Owner of the Property out of which such Rentcharge issues, or One of them, and the Parish and Barony. (But if only certain Townlands in the Parish in which the Property is situate be in the Polling District, then state the Townland, Parish, and Barony in which the Property is situate.) |
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No. 6.

[If a former Polling District be altered, and a Portion of a Barony or Half Barony has been detached therefrom, and other Portions of a Barony or Baronies annexed thereto, it may be entitled thus]—

County of Polling District of .

Copy of the Register (so far as it relates to the Polling District of , consisting of the Barony of (except the Parishes of Townlands of in the Parish of [*as the Case may be*], and the Parishes of in the Barony of

[Setting out the Names of the several Parishes, Townlands, or other Denominations as declared in the Dublin Gazette]

) of Persons entitled to vote, &c. (*as in No.* 5.)

The Columns shall be in the like Form as No. 5.

No.

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No. 7.

[If a Portion of one Barony or Polling District have been annexed to another Barony it may be entitled thus]—

Copy of the Register (so far as it relates to the Polling District
5 of , consisting of the Barony of ,
and the Parishes [*or* Townlands, *as the Case may be*] in the Barony
of annexed to such Polling District

[Setting out the Names of the Barony and several Parishes and Townlands annexed, or other Denominations, as declared in the Dublin Gazette]

10 ) of Persons entitled to vote, &c. (*as in No.* 5.)

The Columns shall be in like Form as No. 5.

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No. 8.

The Endorsement upon the List of each Polling District may be as follows :—

15 County of .
Polling District of .
Polling Place .

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SCHEDULE (E.)

27 & 28 Vict. c. 22.
20 13 & 14 Vict. c. 68. s. 22.
25 & 26 Vict. c. 62. ss. 8, 9, 10.



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**Registration (Ireland).**

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# BILL

To amend the Law of Registration in Ireland

*(Prepared and brought in by The Earl of Mayo and Mr. Attorney General for Ireland.)*

*Ordered, by* The House of Commons, *to be Printed, 6 July 1868*

[Bill 213.]

*Under 6 oz.*

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